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hereinafter referred to as Assignor (collectively if more than one inventor is listed above), have invented certain new and useful improvements in Biological reaction apparatus with draining mechanism							
the specification of wh	ich:						
(a) []	was executed on even date herewith;						
(b) []	was filed on as [] Application No or [] Express Mail No., as Application No. not yet known and was amended on (if applicable); or						
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	and as amended under PCT Article 19 on (if any) and/or under PCT Article 34 on (if any).						
AND WHEREAS, VISION BIOSYS [*] Australia	FEMS LIMITED, Private Bag 107 495 Blackburn Road, Mount Waverley, Victoria 3149,						

(hereinafter referred to as Assignee) desires to acquire the entire rights, title, and interest in and to the said improvements with respect to the United States of America, its territories and possessions.

NOW, THEREFOR, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby acknowledges that it has sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents does hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in the United States of America, and its territories and possessions in, to and under said improvements, and any Patent Applications in the United States of America and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Patents of the United States of America which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all rights of priority under International Conventions; and Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents of the United States of America to issue all Patents for said improvements to Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignor intending to be legally bound has hereunto affixed its signature.

Signature of

Stuart ELLIOT

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